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11. (C/NF) Post Visa Viper committee met on June 28, 2005. The committee wishes to nominate one individual for inclusion in the Visas Viper Program, as follows:

NAME: Hasanul Haq DPOB: 01-JAN-1976

Affiliation: Haq claims to be an al-Qaeda member, and sent e-mail messages threatening to blow up two embassies (Japan and the Netherlands) and RAB Headquarters in Dhaka. Newspaper accounts also suggested a threat to blow up the American Center, but police are investigating whether this is actually true. In any event, the American Center threat has not/not been confirmed. His threats specified that the embassies would be blown up if the countries represented "do not stop interfering in the internal affairs of Bangladesh." His e-mail messages were traced to a cyper cafe, which led to his identification and his June 25 arrest. According to the June 26 "Daily Star" article announcing the arrest, Haq admitted that he had sent the e-mails. Haq's DOB was not given in the article; the committee agreed that we submit him using the above date, as he is reported to be 29 years old. Haq was an assistant accounts manager of Japan Garden City, with a masters degree from Jagannath University College.

12. (U) The Visas Viper Committee was chaired by A/DCM Dundas McCullough, and coordinated by consular section chief Elizabeth Gourlay.

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